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Flanders presents Fiber Art Adult Education

WOODBURY- Flanders Nature Center & Land Trust will offer a series of hands-on workshops on fiber arts for interested adults and teenagers. The next program will be on Needle Felting+presented by Rachel Gerowe on Friday, October 16 from 6:30 to 9/9:30 PM at Flanders Studio/ Welcome Center. She will guide participants on how to needle felt. Students will be making a pumpkin and gourd. The program fee is \$30 and if participants need foam or needles there is an additional cost of \$5.

Other programs in the series include making turkeys on Friday, November 13 and making a holiday surprise on Friday, December 11, from 6:30 . 9/9:30 PM. Flanders Welcome Center is located at the junction of Flanders and Church Hill Roads in Woodbury. Call 203-263-3711 to register.

Flanders Nature Center & Land Trust is a nonprofit organization that focuses on environmental education, and on the acquisition, conservation, and stewardship of open space. Through its land trust initiatives, Flanders actively works to protect important natural sites and the area's landscape character and quality of life. Flanders manages nearly 2,000 acres of preserved land in Woodbury and neighboring towns. Educational programs for children and adults are offered at the Van Vleck Farm Sanctuary, Flanders's main campus in Woodbury. Trails at its major nature preserves are open to the public at no charge from dawn to dusk. Flanders Welcome Center is located at the corner of Church Hill and Flanders Roads in Woodbury.

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Examples of the gourd and pumpkin that will be made in the October class along with examples of other needle felted sculptures.